

NAMING OF THE RESERVOIR TO BE CREATED BY THE
LITTLE GOOSE LOCK AND DAM, SNAKE RIVER, WASH.,
IN HONOR OF THE LATE DOCTOR ENOCH A. BRYAN

DECEMBER 9, 1970.—Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

Mr. FALLON, from the Committee on Public Works,
submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany H.R. 13862]

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the bill (H.R. 13862) to authorize the naming of the reservoir to be created by the Little Goose lock and dam, Snake River, Wash., in honor of the late Dr. Enoch A. Bryan, having considered the same, report favorably thereon without amendment and recommend that the bill do pass.

PURPOSE OF THE BILL

The purpose of the bill is to designate the reservoir created by Little Goose lock and dam on the Snake River, Washington, as Lake Bryan, in honor of Dr. Enoch A. Bryan. In addition to H.R. 13862, introduced by Rep. Catherine May of Washington, Representative Thomas S. Foley of Washington, introduced H.R. 18951, an identical bill. Hearings were held on both bills on December 1, 1970.

GENERAL STATEMENT

The late Dr. Bryan was a prominent author, economist, and educator. He served as President of the Vincennes (Indiana) University, and later as the President of the State College of Washington. During hearings on H.R. 13862, the committee heard considerable testimony as to the universal respect and admiration in which Dr. Bryan was held by his fellow citizens and colleagues.

COMMITTEE VIEWS

The committee believes it fitting and proper to name the reservoir formed by the Little Goose lock and dam after Dr. Bryan and in recognition of his outstanding contributions to both the State in which the project is located and to the Nation.

COST TO UNITED STATES

Enactment of this legislation will not result in any cost to the United States.

AGENCY COMMENTS

A letter submitted by the Department of the Army offering no objection to the enactment of H.R. 13862 follows:

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY,
Washington, D.C., November 18, 1969.

HON. GEORGE H. FALLON,
Chairman, Committee on Public Works,
House of Representatives.

DEAR MR. CHAIRMAN: Reference is made to your request for the views of the Department of the Army with respect to H.R. 13862, 91st Congress, a bill "To authorize the naming of the reservoir to be created by the Little Goose lock and dam, Snake River, Washington, in honor of the late Doctor Enoch A. Bryan."

This bill would designate the reservoir created by the Little Goose lock and dam, authorized by the Rivers and Harbors Act of March 2, 1945 (50 Stat. 10, 21), as Lake Bryan.

The late Dr. Bryan, a prominent author, economist, and educator, served as president of the Vincennes (Indiana) University, and the State College of Washington.

The Department of the Army has no objection to H.R. 13862.

The Bureau of the Budget advises that, from the standpoint of the administration's program, there is no objection to the presentation of this report for the consideration of the committee.

Sincerely,

STANLEY R. RESOR,
Secretary of the Army.

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